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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled:

FASTENING ARRANGEMENT FOR A MODULE AND METHOD OF ASSEMBLING USING SAID ARRANGEMENT

Enclosed are:

- Specification, including 28 claims (pages 17, plus specification front page).
- 2. $\underline{4}$ Sheets of \underline{x} Formal ____ Informal drawings showing Figs. 1-4 .
- 3. _X Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted).
- 4. Certified copy of Priority Document 100 48 530.8 filed in Germany on September 30, 2000, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
- 5. X Information Disclosure Statement w/3 references.
- 6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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